PATENT APPLICATION

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In re application of

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PREPARING GRAINS OF SILVER SALT OF

ORGANIC ACID AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THERMALLY PROCESSED

IMAGE RECORDING MATERIAL

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated July 14, 2003, once extended from October 14, 2003 to November 14, 2003, by the filing of an appropriate petition and payment for an extension of time submitted herewith.

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